

Quad: Craig R. 2
Lat: 55° 15' 10"
Long: 132° 22' 29"

102-40-10570

Tom Creek
102-40-57
Downey, 1974

As our original data has been misplaced, I'm pulling the following data for Tom Creek out of my head as I can recall it.

I recall this stream fairly well as it has a rocky I.T. zone and just above the I.T. zone the stream steepens rapidly and is composed mostly of pools and bedrock. The stream is fair in size (30 ft. wide above I.T.) with moderate flow. Due to its steepness it would have access for salmon for only about 100 yards above the I.T. zone.

With this limited access and little spawning potential the old escapement figures of 50-100,000 fish are very confusing to me.

This is a steep valley so stream bank slumping could be a real problem. I can't recall the timber potential of this area.

PEAK ESCAPEMENT RECORD

NAME: Tom Creek

STREAM CATALOG NUMBER: 102-40-57

DATE	PINK	CHUM	OTHER SPECIES	REMARKS
Oct. 6, 1937	75,000	25,000		Very good. Several thousand at mouth (G)
Sept. 24, 1940	50,000			Excellent (G)
Oct. 3, 1941	100,000	15,000		Excellent. 10,000 at mouth (G)
Sept 22, 1942	35,000	25,000		Excellent. 40,000 at mouth (G)
Sept 26, 1945	15,000	35,000		Excellent. 20,000 at mouth (G)
Sept 29, 1948	100	250		Excellent. 1,000 fish off mouth (G)
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